

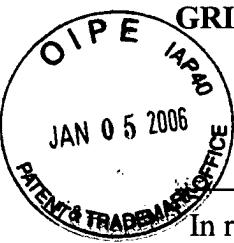
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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE



In re the Application of:

ANATOLY CHEKHMIR, ET AL.

Serial No.: 10/606,218

Filed: June 26, 2003

For: PROCESSES FOR IMMOBILIZING
RADIOACTIVE AND
HAZARDOUS WASTES

Art Unit: 1754

Examiner: HERTZOG, Ardit E.

PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for the acceptance of a color drawing in the above-identified application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2). A color drawing is required in this application in order to accurately depict the crystalline structure of the waste integrated mineral. This same color drawing (Figure 11) was submitted in color in the parent application, which is incorporated-by-reference into this application. Thus, no new matter will enter by acceptance of this color drawing.

Accompanying this petition are:

- (1) The Petition Fee of \$130.00 set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (h) is hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 03-3975, and any fee necessary for consideration of this Petition to be charged to the Deposit Account for which a duplicate copy of this paper is attached;

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- (2) Three (3) sets of color drawings of Figure 11; and
- (3) A black-and-white photocopy of Figure 11 that accurately depicts the subject matter shown, to the extent possible.

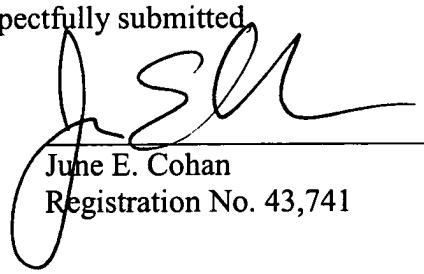
No amendment to the specification is necessary because the specification already contains the language required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.84(a)(2)(iii).

Favorable consideration of this petition is respectfully requested.

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